



**Allansford and
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"Allansford Kids are Friendly Kids"

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KEY DATES

We wish to acknowledge the traditional owners of the land and pay respect to the elders, past, present, and emerging. We want to acknowledge the Eastern Marr peoples as the traditional custodians of Southwest Victoria.



TERM ONE

Family Math's Conference

**Wednesday 27th March – 2.30 – 3.30 pm
& 6.00 -7.00 p.m.**

Walk to School Day

Thursday 28th March - we will walk from the Recreation Reserve to the school.

Early school arrivals will walk to the Recreation Reserve at 8.30 a.m. and depart the Recreation Reserve at 8.50 a.m. for the walk back to school.

Early Lunch

Thursday 28th March – lunch from 1.00 - 1.45 p.m. followed by assembly.

End of Term Assembly

Thursday 28th March – 1.45 -2.30 p.m.
(lunch @ 1.00 -1.45 p.m.)

Easter Raffle

Thursday 28th March – Drawn @ assembly.

Reminder to hand tickets in so they can be placed into the draw.

First Day of Term 2

Monday 15th April

Foundation 2025

'Expression of Interest'

<https://forms.gle/Ki5GBPBvMpawtipe7>

ALLANSFORD ALIVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

PRINCIPAL CHATTER

I wish to congratulate students, staff, and parents for their exceptional start to the 2024 school year. I particularly want to acknowledge the way our student leaders have modelled school wide expectations and the enthusiasm they have demonstrated with their learning. Highlights of term one has included our welcome picnic night, Pancake Day, athletic sports, Harmony Day celebrations, the Pillow Project, and weekly house rotations.

We are exceptionally proud of how our new Foundation students have commenced the new year. It is hard to believe that the first 9 weeks of school is almost over. I thank the School Council and sub-committees for the part they play in working towards on-going school improvement. Again, many thanks to Hamish for his upkeep of our school grounds and the great job Gary does keeping our school clean. We look forward to an exciting Term 2.

STUDENT LEADERS - ASSEMBLY

Congratulations Sam, one of our enthusiastic and thoughtful Year 6 Student Leaders, for organising and presenting assembly 8 for Term One. Sam displayed initiative and determination when planning her very thorough assembly. It was wonderful to see her grow in confidence as she prepared for her assembly moment. The highlight of presenting the assembly for Sam was 'learning all the new things that are involved in running an assembly.' Congratulations Sam!



VALUES AWARD

Our "Values Award" is selected by a student leader who has witnessed a student demonstrating our school values.

This award went to a student who was showing kindness. She was seen opening doors for people and displaying patience while people came inside. She then showed organization by placing the door stopper in its place. She has also been working hard in buddies with excellent listening and teamwork. **Congratulations Pippa.**



MELO AWARD

The Melo Award is selected by a member of staff and presented to a student who has made a good choice to help individuals or a group.

This student demonstrated excellent sportsmanship and care for others at our Athletics day cheering for all students with enthusiasm and pride. She has also shown excellence in the classroom working hard to complete her work to a high standard and being a caring buddy and leader.

Congratulations Audrey



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations on the fantastic efforts you have all shown for a huge range of skills and achievements. You should be proud of your achievements – WE ARE! If you are at school, please look at our **Wall of Fame (near the office)** – where you will see our terrific students of the week.



STUDENT LEADERS – NEWSLETTER PAGE

Our leaders continue to shine.

Thankyou Tyson, Mason and Sam for your collaboration to share what our students have been working on in the classroom in the past week. It is terrific to see your teamwork in action and your skill in designing your page.



LEADERSHIP SHOWCASES

Amary and Amber from grade 6 shared some information about the Family Maths Conference on tonight.



Violet, Finn, Layken, Mason and Travis from the ART SALT (Student Action Learning Team) explained the Easter Egg Colouring we will complete this week.



HARMONY DAY

On Friday, our school was a sea of orange as all our students celebrated Harmony Day. Students completed tasks in their classrooms and in their House Rotations planned, organised and run by our student leaders, promoting the messages of inclusion, kindness and harmony. Many examples of their work are displayed in our library passage. Congratulations to all for demonstrating the idea of Harmony Day theme **'EVERYONE BELONGS'**



DISTRICT ATHLETICS

On Monday 44 Grade 4-6 students went to Brauerander to represent Allansford and District PS at the District Athletic Sports. They demonstrated focus, skill and teamwork, well done to everyone on your amazing performances and effort. We are very proud of your sportsmanship and passion.



SHOWCASE 1

Foundation students Jovi and Marli read about their Sports Day highlights.



SHOW CASE 2

Students from Grade 2/3 Jack, Teddy, Scarlett and Amelia shared their Pie Graph about the number of people in each House.



SHOWCASE 3

F/1 students, Harper, Emily, Tom and Ronnie shared their Sports Art using drawings and photos of the highlights of their day.



SHOWCASE 4

Tia, Alice, Phoebe, Alley and Darcy from grade 3/4 shared their Easter Egg Art. They shared the process of how they created this artwork.



Students at Work

By Mason, Tyson and Sam



Students at work

STUDENTS DOING THEIR WORK AND HAVING FUN.



OUR SCHOOL FUNDRAISING -PARENTS CLUB

Allansford & District Primary School

Easter Raffle

Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5

Tickets can be purchased from the School Office

Raffle drawn on Thursday 28th March 2024 (final day of Term One)

**PARENTS' CLUB
BULB FUNDRAISER**

The newly installed raised garden beds have been a huge success and we are now raising money to install a permanent watering system.

Our school will receive 40% of proceeds from the bulb drive. Orders will be delivered directly to your door.

Please visit
www.bulbfundraiser.com.au/ALLANSFORD to place your order.

Online orders close: Thursday 11th April



Happy Easter

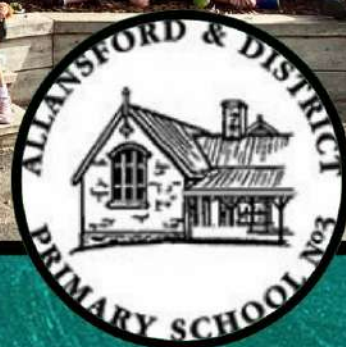




District Sports







2025 Enrolments

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



Please complete an 'Expression of Interest' via the available link which is accessible on our Website or Facebook page to ensure you are kept up to date with our ongoing Transition Events.



We are excited at the prospect of having your child attend our school in 2025.

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WALK TO SCHOOL DAY



Thursday 27th March

Students and staff will actively walk together to school from the Allansford Recreation Reserve

We will depart the Allansford Recreation Reserve at 8.50am

Fresh fruit platters will be enjoyed on our arrival at school